

CHAPTER NO. 585

HOUSE BILL NO. 2161

By Representatives McDaniel, McCord

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 2876

By Senators Herron, Kilby, Burks

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-2-203, relative to the duties of local boards of education.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 49-2-203(b), is amended by adding the following new subdivision:

() Include in student handbooks, or other information disseminated to parents and guardians, information on contacting child advocacy groups and information on how to contact the state department of education for information on student rights and services.

SECTION 2. Local education agencies shall not be required to replace existing supplies of handbooks in order to include the information required in Section 1 until such supplies are exhausted.

SECTION 3. This act shall take July 1, 2004, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: April 14, 2004


JIMMY RAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES


JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 3rd day of May 2004


PHIL BREDESEN, GOVERNOR